

The Cocopah Indian Tribe

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RE: Cocopah Indian Tribe Inadvertent Overrun and Payback Policy (IOPP) Payback Plan: Report of 2014 Water Conservation

Dear Mr. Fulp:

The Cocopah Tribe hereby certifies that, for the calendar year 2014, it is in compliance with the Inadvertent Overrun and Payback Policy (IOPP) Payback Plan for Calendar Years 2013-2015 (IOPP), approved by the Bureau of Reclamation by letter dated September 1, 2013. Compliance for 2014 was achieved by withdrawing thirty-eight (38) acres from cultivation. At an estimated amount of 6 acre-feet per acre per year this amounts to conservation of 228 acre-feet for 2014. Once per year watering for ground cover was not irrigated in 2014, as had been mentioned in the Cocopah IOPP, so there is no set off.

Sincerely,

Christoper J. Nuñez Tribal Administrator